



711 Louisiana Street, Suite 2900
Houston, Texas 77002-2781
Phone: 713.223.2900
Toll Free: 800.887.1993

Fax Cover Letter

Please deliver the following pages to: **Patent Examiner Pedro J. Cuevas
(Group Art Unit 2834)
U. S. Patent and Trademark Office**

Fax Number: (703) 305-1341

This fax is from Jeffrey S. Whittle, Registration No. 36,382 and is being transmitted on January 29, 2003. The length of this fax, (including the cover letter), is 18 pages.

The fax machine number is 713.221.1212. If you do not receive all pages, please call 713.221.1233.

Message

FAX RECEIVED

IN RE PATENT APPLICATION OF:	Paul Steinway	JAN 29 2003
SERIAL NO.:	09/537,023	
APPLICATION DATE:	3/28/2000	TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800
DOCKET NO.	046614.008017.003	
TITLE:	Hybrid Combined Power Cycle Generation Facility	
GROUP ART UNIT:	2834	

Please contact me with any questions at (713) 221-1185 or by e-mail at jwhittle@bracepatt.com

Thank you.

Confidentiality Notice

This fax from the law firm of Bracewell & Patterson, L.L.P. contains information that is confidential or privileged, or both. This information is intended only for the use of the individual or entity named on this fax cover letter. Any disclosure, copying, distribution or use of this information by any person other than the intended recipient is prohibited. If you have received this fax in error, please notify us by telephone immediately at 713.221.1233 so that we can arrange for the retrieval of the transmitted documents at no cost to you.

Attorney Docket No. 046614.008017.003

COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith for filing in the patent application of:

Inventors: Paul Steinway

FAX RECEIVED

Serial No.: 09/537,023

JAN 29 2003

Filed: March 28, 2000

TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800

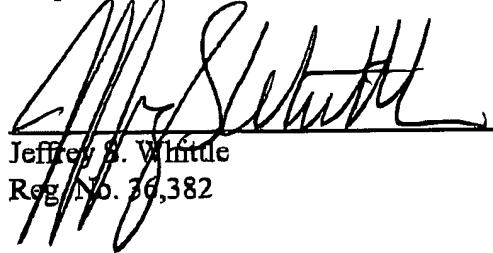
For: Hybrid Combined Power Cycle Generation Facility

Enclosed are:

- Amendment and Response to the Office Action dated November 25, 2002, and the teleconference with the Examiner on January 21, 2003;
- Associate Power of Attorney; and
- Certificate of Facsimile Transmission

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or credit any additional fees to the Deposit Account of Bracewell & Patterson, L.L.P., Deposit Account No. 50-0259 (Attorney Docket No. 046614.008017.003).

Respectfully submitted,



Jeffrey S. Whittle
Reg. No. 36,382

Date: 1/29/03

BRACEWELL & PATTERSON, L.L.P.
P.O. Box 61389
Houston, Texas 77208-1389
Direct Phone: (713) 221-1185
Direct Fax: (713) 221-2141

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing correspondence for U. S. Serial No. 09/537,023 has been forwarded on the date indicated below, via facsimile number 713-231-1212, to the Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, Attn: PATENT EXAMINER PEDRO J. CUEVAS at FAX NO. (703) 305-1341.

Date: 1-29-2003By: Beth Pierce**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:	§ Docket No.	046614.008017.003
Paul Steinway	§	§
Filed: MARCH 28, 2000	§ Art Unit:	2834
Serial No. 09/537,023	§	§
For: HYBRID COMBINED POWER CYCLE GENERATION FACILITY	§ Examiner:	PEDRO J. CUEVAS
	§	§

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**FAX RECEIVED**

Commissioner for Patents
BOX NO FEE AMENDMENT
Washington, D.C. 20231

JAN 29 2003

TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 25, 2002, and the teleconference interview with the Examiner on January 21, 2003, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of this application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or credit any fees to Deposit Account 50-0259 (046614.008017.003).

IN THE CLAIMS

Applicant amends Claims 1-3, 5-10 to read as provided below. A marked up version showing the changes, as well as a clean version of the claims remaining in the application are both attached hereto as Appendices A and B. Applicant's remaining Claims 1-3, 5-10 read as follows: